

—TODAY—

Pearl White in "Plunder."  
and Jack London's Great Story  
"The Son of a Wolf" and  
Aesop's Fable

—MONDAY—

Franklyn Farnum in  
"SMILING JIM."

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Dustin Farnum in  
"While Justice Waits" and  
The Lee Kids in  
"Two Wise Birds."

—MONDAY—

Irene Castle in "Slim Shoulders"  
and a Century Comedy.

RECOGNITION OF PRES. OBREGON SEEMS NEAR  
Further Stories Of Florida Prisons Are Laid BareDEPUTY SAID WAS  
TOLD TO GET BUSY

Former Jailer Of Leon  
County Testifies  
In Prison Probe

SAYS OFFICIALS  
GOT DRUNK OFTEN

Postal Clerk Declares  
Sheriff Wrong On  
Tolbert Letter

(Associated Press)

TALAHASSEE, Fla., April 21.

Sheriff J. R. Jones instructed him and other deputy sheriffs of Leon County to "get busy for this means money for me" after the sheriff had made a contract with the Putnam Lumber company to receive \$20 a head for prisoners leased to them, Jerre M. Poppell, former jailer, today told the legislative investigating committee inquiring into the death of Martin Tabert, of North Dakota and other reported brutalities to prisoners.

Poppell said he was jailer for Leon County for 20 years and was discharged after serving under Sheriff Jones for two years because he complained of "brutal treatment of the prisoners confined in the jail."

He further testified that the sheriff instructed him to persuade all prisoners to plead guilty.

"Tell them if they demand trial they will get six months and if they enter a plea of guilty they will get only three months," the former jailer said was his instruction from the sheriff.

Poppell, in answer to direct questions, said that the County Judge B. F. Willis, the sheriff and all the deputies got drunk frequently.

"I thought this was a prohibition town," chairman John P. Stokes observed.

"It would seem that it would be, right here at the capital," the witness agreed.

He was asked how it came about that Judge Willis was available for impromptu night trials.

"He was around the courthouse a good deal with his demi-john," the former jailer replied, declaring that no feeling of revenge would prompt him to give his testimony.

Before Poppell took the stand H. E. Moore, a postoffice clerk, testified that Sheriff Jones instructed him to return a registered letter addressed to Martin Tabert, to the sender, as "the party had gone." Moore said he wrote on the envelope just what Jones told him and sent the letter back to Mrs. Ben Tabert in Munich, North Dakota.

Moore denied that Jones instructed him to write on the envelope "party gone to Clara" as Jones had testified before the committee the first of this week.

"Had the sheriff instructed me to forward the letter to Clara, he would have had to sign a postal slip as required by the postoffice department," declared the witness. Tabert died at Clara while in the private lumber camp.

Moore said two notices were sent Sheriff Jones before he paid any attention to the letter. Poppell told the committee that after the agreement with the Putnam Lumber company had been made by Jones, that there were from four to ten "prisoners brought in the jail daily, charged with riding freight trains and vagrancy."

Jefferson Davis, president of the Confederacy, 1861-65 was born on June 3, 1808 in Christian county, Kentucky. He graduated from West Point Military Academy in 1824 and later served in the United States army until 1853 when he resigned to become a planter in Mississippi, the state of his adoption.

The residence of James H. Pitts, built in 1828 at Tuscaloosa still stands.

OHIO POLICEMAN SUES  
FOR NEW YORK LAND

Warren Edwards

Warren Edwards, policeman, of Cincinnati, descendant of Robert Edwards, regarded as kin by King George III, of England, has sued for part of the 160-acre farm presented to his ancestor for bravery in the Indian wars. This farm is now most of the financial section of New York. He says the land was leased for 99 years and later released again.

SATURDAY A BUSY  
DAY IN THE STORES

Sunshine and something—the something being the right kind of advertisements—raised the aspirations of traders along the streets today. The road ways of the streets were full of automobiles and the side walks were full of busy shoppers, and as for the stores and the entries into them—they were literally and absolutely full.

A small boy standing at the entrance of Hardage brothers put the whole situation fairly and squarely when he said to the whole bunch of bargain seekers: "You had better not go in if you ever hope to get out." The boy meant to say that the crowds that the attractive bargains and the closely bunched mass of humanity would make it exceedingly difficult to get in or out of the store.

And what was true at this place was true at the dozen and one other stores that offered special prices and large bargains for today, such as Matlock's, Orr-Cohen, the "Piggly Wiggly" stores, A. C. Joiner's, J. M. Sears on Second Avenue, Buttreys, Garnetts, The Royer Shop, Speake and Echols, E. M. Lee.

At every place all along the line—where special bargains were offered they had eager takers.

RIVER BANK GIVES  
WAY; CITY FLOODED

(Associated Press.)

PORTAGE, La. PRARIE, Manitoba, April 21.—A bank of Assiniboine river broke southwest of here at two o'clock this morning and loosed a torrent upon this city. The railroad yards were inundated, and the residential section invaded. Householders began packing up to leave at any minute.

WINNIPEG, April 21.—Flood conditions at Portage La Prairie, where the Assiniboine river overflowed its banks were reported serious today. The railroad yards and residential section were swept by the flood.

Conditions at Brandon were reported improved—the water having drained about a foot and a half in the last 12 hours.

COTTON MARKET.  
(Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, April 21.—Cotton futures opened steady, May 27.40; July 26.53; October 24.10; December 23.60; January 23.25.

MRS. MATTIE ORR IS  
CALLED BY DEATH

Sister of First White  
Child in County  
Dies at Trinity

FUNERAL TODAY  
AT DANVILLE

Aged Resident Passes  
Away After Long  
Life In Morgan

The death of Mrs. Mattie Burleson Orr occurred at the home of Prof. H. T. Lile, at Trinity Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. She was born near Decatur September 22, 1837, and was consequently in her 86th year.

The funeral was announced for Saturday at 2 o'clock at the Baptist church of Danville. The funeral party is expected to leave Trinity at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Orr's surviving children are: F. B. Orr, of Hot Springs, Ark.; Mrs. H. T. Lile, of Trinity; and J. E. Orr, of Hartselle. Mrs. Orr's husband, Jonathan Orr, died in 1895. She was the daughter of Captain Jonathan Burleson.

Captain Jonathan Burleson was an officer in the army of Andrew Jackson which broke the Indian rebellion in Alabama—and he fought in the famous battle of Horse Shoe Bend. Captain Burleson's oldest son, Dr. Aaron Burleson, was the first white child born in Morgan County, in 1813. Dr. Aaron Burleson built the large Colonial home near the Tennessee river in Decatur now owned by R. P. McEntire. Mrs. Orr was a loyal and devout member of the Baptist church for 75 years.

The deceased retained her unusual mental powers almost up to the time of her death. Mrs. Orr's brother, Dr. Rufus C. Burleson, was sent as a Missionary to Texas in 1845. He founded the Waco-Baylor University at Waco, Texas and was its president until his death in 1899. Dr. Rufus Burleson baptised the world famous Sam Houston, soldier and statesman, and also Miss Dickinson, "The Babe of the Alamo."

Operetta Pleases  
Large Audience

"The Feast of the Red Corn," an American Indian operetta, in two acts, given by the expression pupils of Miss Gladys Bernardi, for the benefit of the Albany Parent-Teachers Association, at the Albany high school last night, proved to be a delightful entertainment, and the performers went through their difficult parts without a hitch or a prompting.

The parents of the students were out in force and there was a good sized crowd in addition.

The play abounded in weird scenes, and the attractive Indian costumes of the players blended beautifully with the parts they played.

This was the first of a number of entertainments promised from now on until the final graduating exercises of the high school occur the last of May.

Miss Bernardi is now practicing the seniors of the graduating class for a play to be given the 25th of next month.

Charles A. Greer,  
City Visitor

Hon. Chas. A. Greer, of Sylacauga, is here the guest of his son, Dr. H. D. Greer. He is accompanied by Attorney Chas. W. Greer, also a son; who is well known in legal circles in Birmingham.

Mr. Greer is one of the best known men in Alabama, now a publisher of Sylacauga. At one time he was managing editor of the Age Herald and has held a number of responsible position in public life. Mr. Greer is here for a few days en route home, after attending the Masonic meeting at Birmingham the past few days.

Father of Local  
Woman Died at  
Home in Belgium

Mrs. S. A. Owens, of West Albany, received the sad intelligence today the death of her father, John Baptist Somercoren, in Belgium in his 76th year. Except for two brothers who now live in France Mrs. Owens is the only surviving member of the family. Her only sister was killed in a convent in Belgium during the German invasion in 1914.

MOVE IS MADE TO  
GET MRS. PHILLIPS

Negotiations Begin To  
Establish Identity Of  
The Suspect

BELIEVED HIDING  
IN TEGUCIGALPA

Government Opens Efforts  
To Return  
Woman

(Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 21.—As a preliminary for a formal request for extradition, the state department has decided to open negotiations with the Honduran government to establish the identity of a suspect residing in Tegucigalpa and believed to be Mrs. Clara Phillips, convicted hammer murderer, who escaped from jail in California.

SACRAMENTO, Calif., April 21.—Sheriff W. I. Traeger, of Los Angeles, expected to confer with Governor F. W. Richardson here today regarding steps to be taken to secure the extradition of a woman believed to be Mrs. Clara Phillips, escaped hammer murderer and her male companion, said to be Jesse C. Carson from Tegucigalpa.

Sheriff Traeger was in San Francisco when he was informed that Governor Richardson had been notified of the United States department of state of the presence of a pair, together with a woman, said to be Mrs. Carson, in Tegucigalpa. The state department said its information came from the American legation here, and asked if extradition of the woman was desired.

The governor's office requested notification from the Los Angeles sheriff that Mrs. Phillips had been convicted of murdering Mrs. Alberta Meadows, 20 year old widow, July 12, 1922. Following her conviction Mrs. Phillips escaped from the Los Angeles county jail December 5 last.

The woman under suspicion at Tegucigalpa is using the name of Mrs. Robert Young, the state department said. Late last night Los Angeles police arrested Mrs. Phillips' husband, to investigate his connection, if any, with Mrs. Phillips' escape. Officers at Los Angeles also said the extradition of Carson would be requested. They expressed the opinion Carson was a distant relative of Mrs. Phillips. He is believed to be the man wanted in Los Angeles on an arson charge.

LOS ANGELES, April 21.—In discussing reports from Sacramento that Mrs. Clara Phillips, escaped hammer murderer, and Jesse C. Carson, wanted here on an arson charge, had been located in Honduras, Stuart R. Flintham, county fire warden, in an interview with the Los Angeles Times said today he thought he could trace practically all the movements of Mrs. Phillips and Carson since they vanished from Los Angeles. He said Carson was accused of having set fire to a grocery store in Belvedere Gardens, a suburb. The fire warden said he had reason to believe Phillips and Carson had been close friends and declared that on the night of December Mrs. Phillips and the two planned at the time how the man and woman were to leave the country.

ALBANY MAY BUILD  
OWN NEW STREETS

City Considering Doing  
Improvement Work  
On Own Contract

RAILROAD PLAN  
HEARD BY BOARD

Proposition Referred To  
Civic Chamber By  
The Council

The Albany city council adjourned Friday night at a late hour with an agreement for a special meeting to be held next Friday 27. The proposals submitted for beginning work on the new street paving program occupied most of the time of the council, and it was general opinion that the next meeting would see the end of the controversy, as to whether the city itself would complete the paving, or let the work out to contractors.

The chief difficulty that presented itself to the city doing the work, was lack of funds for buying street building machinery.

None of the recent bonds sold for the purpose of improving the streets can be used to purchase machinery, it is said.

J. M. Clark, one of the promoters of the oil well near Flint, made a proposition to the council, concerning a railroad between here and Moulton, but he was referred to the Albany-Decatur chamber of commerce.

The city engineer, M. S. Bingham, called the attention of the council to certain park property in West Albany, which was apt to be claimed by other parties unless something was done about it. The matter was referred to the property committee. The East Albany reelhouse was directed, removed at the request of members of the "City Beautiful" club.

New contracts were ordered prepared by the time of the next meeting of the council, setting forth clearly just what will be done when the work on the streets begins.

It was determined that contracting plumbers, such as are at work on the Albany high school building shall pay the same license fees as resident plumbers.

The property owners on East Gordon drive from 8th avenue to the Somerville road, asked for the construction of a new side walk.

It was requested by Eyster and Eyster that property owners on Holly street receive certain deduction considerations as to paving and the matter was referred to the finance committee.

It is thought one ordinance will later combine all special requests to be submitted later.

For the first time in several weeks all of the aldermen were in their places, when the council was called to order.

Circuit Court Term  
Brought To Close

Following a day and a half spent in hearing non-jury cases, Judge James E. Horton left yesterday evening for his home in Athens. The next term of the circuit court will convene here in June, it was announced at the court house this morning.

Attorneys are agreed that no cases of large importance came before the session of the circuit court just closed, except the case of the county of Morgan and the state highway commission against the bondsmen of J. M. Wolfe and company and this case was only entered by the court as settled, as it was compromised before it came to trial, by an agreement made by the surety company to pay the county and the state highway department the sum of \$44,000.

The entire amount of the bond executed by J. M. Wolfe and company to the surety company was for \$62,000.00 and suit was originally brought for that amount, but later the sum agreed upon was \$18,000 less than that amount.

## Judge Gary Raises Workers' Pay



E. H. Gary

Judge Elbert H. Gary, shown here in his latest photograph, has announced that the wages of unskilled laborers in the United States Steel Corporation of which he is head, will be raised 11 per cent, adding \$25,000,000 more to his payroll.

FORMER RESIDENT  
IN STORM IN GULF

Mrs. J. D. McNabb, widely known here, and a former Twin City resident, was a member of a party of about 160 persons who spent a night of terror in a launch adrift in the gulf, near Biloxi. In a letter to a local friend, Mrs. McNabb describes some of the horrors of being adrift at sea in a boat, the engines of which have gone dead.

A newspaper account of the affair, which Mrs. McNabb says does not fully reflect the troubles and discomforts those aboard the launch suffered, follows:

BILOXI, Miss., April 9.—(Special.)—There was considerable anxiety as a throng that stood vigil on the beach all night that a hundred and fifty Biloxians may have been shanghaied for a deep sea voyage in the internal cavern of a mammoth whale.

The one hundred and fifty had left port early Sunday bent on viewing an ocean monster reported beached at Britain Island, some miles out in the gulf. Late in the afternoon the party had not returned and the scheduled hour of arrival was past.

Came night and even midnight and no word from the launch bearing the whale hunters. Crowds chiefly relatives and friends, collected on the beach. While stories sped among them. At every round of yarn the monster that missed his footing at Britain Island grew in length, breadth and voraciousness.

Whale stories from the time of Jonah were recounted. It was entirely possible, declared some, for a whale to upset a launch and grab up a score or so of humans struggling in the water.

Throughout the night the throng stood by, peering anxiously over the Gulf horizon, either for appearance of the craft, or of a whale ecstatically licking his chops. Dawn came and no sign of the voyagers. Relief parties were being organized.

Several hours after sun the sub-chaser 264 of Biloxi hove into view dragging a craft after it. The throng on shore, now larger by many hundreds was relieved.

When the pleasure seekers were landed they had many stories to relate—not of a deep sea monster, but of high seas, cold, wind, rain and seasickness, and a disabled engine that kept the party helplessly adrift in the Gulf all night.

CHAMBER ACTS ON  
POWER LINE PLAN

Regarding the attitude of the Sheffield chamber of commerce relative

LONG CONTROVERSY  
APPEARS NEAR END

An Early Agreement In  
Washington Is The  
Indication Now

DISCUSSIONS IN  
PROGRESS STILL

Legislation Embodying  
American Ideas  
Before Deputies

(Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 21.

Long controversy between the United States and the Obregon government in Mexico has reached a stage requiring an early complete agreement.

Renewed assurances regarding protection of the right of foreign investment in the Southern republic, all along a chief stumbling block in the recognition of Obregon by the United States, have been sent in Washington and apparently have been accepted by officials here in connection with the right direction.

The views of Washington on subject have been made known by Charlie Summerlin, of the American embassy in Mexico City, in a dispatch to the State department.

Expected to lead to a formal announcement within a few days.

Ever since 1911, when the United States refused to recognize the regime by the United States, in Mr. Summerlin's hands, the signature at the moment of the guarantees have been sent to American rights. When time has come officials here have not say.

It became known, however, that legislation pending in the Mexican chamber of deputies, designed to apply article 27, of the Mexican constitution, that it will not be restrictive, is regarded by Obregon officials at least as embodying the sort of guarantees the United States has requested. That opinion has been made known to this government through the Mexican embassy here, in a comprehensive re-statement of the whole Mexican side of the case.

FOUR FLIERS KILLED  
AS PLANE CRASHES

(Associated Press.)

DAYTON, O., April 21.—Four fliers were almost instantly killed and two others probably fatally injured at 12:30 p. m. today when a Martin airplane bomber, which was leaving McCook field here, for Fantoul, Ill., fell into the great Miami river here.

One commissioned officer, Captain Lawson and five enlisted men were in the plane. Captain Lawson and Sergeant Biddle were among the dead taken from the river.

It is understood the machine was on its way from Fantoul, Ill., to Langley field, Virginia, and stopped off at McCook field enroute. The ship had just taken off from McCook field, when a few hundred feet in the air, the pilot saw he was unable to clear the Herman avenue bridge, which adjoins McCook field, and overrode the machine around to avoid crashing into the bridge. The plane turned over and fell into the river.

to a postponement of the proposed hearing before the Alabama Public service commission on the power transmission line from Sheffield, the directors passed a resolution the substance of which is that while the Albany-Decatur chamber of commerce appreciates fully the position of the Sheffield chamber in desiring that the public service commission postpone the hearing in question, that at the same time "on harm" is seen in the immediate hearing of the matter April 25 as originally scheduled.



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## WE FAVOR ACCEPTANCE OF HENRY FORD'S BID FOR MUSCLE SHOALS.

### RETIRING PRESIDENT OF STATE F. W. C.

Mrs. Louis A. Neill returns today from the annual meeting of the Alabama Federation of Women's Clubs, of which she is the retiring state president. The organization has never had a more faithful, competent or untiring head, and she retires with honors well earned.

Under her administration the organization has made splendid progress. She has set a high standard and great good has been done for our State, for which she will please accept the thanks of a grateful people who have benefited by her labors.

### PRESIDENT WILSON MAY NOT MAKE A FIGHT ON THE HARDING PLAN.

President Harding's plan to get the benefits of the League of Nations and still not join it is to get this country to enter the world court set up by the league. Former President Wilson says that he prefers to enter the "original league" of nations and assume full responsibility in it. But because he says this he is not necessarily a "bitter ender"—he may not make a fight on the Harding plan, on the general ground that half a loaf is better than no bread. Mr. Wilson may feel that a conditional acceptance of the league is better than no acceptance at all. The fact that Mr. Wilson wrote a letter to some Congress member and said he preferred whole-hearted acceptance of the league, merely goes to show what his wishes are in the matter. Like Senator Harrison of Mississippi, Mr. Wilson may be willing, if necessary to agree to have this country in the world court. The real opposition to the President's plan is apt to come from those in his own party.

For a time, but not for so very long, the "bitter end" politicians who for reasons of their own may be able to prevent international co-operation for the prevention of war. They will have to finally give over to the progressive thought of this country that demands that new and untried ways must be tried in an effort to stave off another such war as the one that began in 1914 took 10,000,000 to their graves in about four years time, and destroyed the accumulated wealth of 100 years.

Senator Borah, reputed to be ablest of the "bitter enders" is said to be ready to cross over to the side of those who are the league of nations advocates or are for something "just as good."

### EXAMPLE IS BETTER THAN PRECEPT.

The glimmering of a rising hope of justice for all is seen in the action of a Pennsylvania court in sentencing a man described as "a wealthy clubman" to the penitentiary for anywhere from 6 to 10 years, for running down and killing three persons with his automobile. It goes without saying that the man was drunk. Drunk on the same kind of beverages unwisely held as dear to many. And the defendant's attorneys acknowledged his drunken condition during the trial.

It is said the clubman plead guilty to the charge of murder in the second degree. The maximum limit in the state of Pennsylvania for second degree murder is 10 years and the minimum time six years. Granted the clubman got only six years imprisonment, certainly human life is dear enough for a man to have to suffer such a sentence for killing three people while on a selfish drunken spree.

Unless something is done human life will continue to get cheaper and cheaper as the years

### THREE-MINUTE WOMEN.

Whatever else may be said of the League of Women Voters is has played a good joke on the men, the rougher sex has always looked upon women as talkative and the general expectation was that when this group came together there would be much talking and little listening, much spoken and little said.

But the women confounded their critics. They limited speeches to three minutes each and rigidly adhered to the ruling.

The league may not do much for politics. It may clutter up the political field and disturb the orderly workings of the regular parties, but if it has exploded the theory of the talkative woman it has done a great deal for its own kind. Some may say that by their lack of loquacity these women have demonstrated that they have no place in law-making halls, but to many it appears that certain Senators might well emulate them.

If brevity were practised in the halls of Congress the cloakroom would lose some of its popularity and there would occasionally be voluntary listeners as well as eager speakers among the legislators. But who can doubt that the champion talkers will find excuses for continuing in their time honored course, even if they are compelled to call brevity a thing fit only for women.—Springfield Union.

### A TRAIN OF THOUGHTS FOR SABBATH AND OTHER DAYS

By J. E. Blair

To have enough balance of character to walk uprightly is what every sane person wants. But something or somebody has gotten the human race to where not one of its members unsupported, will walk uprightly.

Take pleasure alone for the present. It is one of the things that has thrown us out of balance. The pleasure of bodily pleasure has weakened bodies and in hundreds of thousands of instances literally rotted human bodies away.

The pleasure of having property has caused greed to take the place of generosity. The pleasure of merely beating the other fellow at something has aroused hate and jealousy. In a word pleasure has made bad bodies and bad character. One of the first things Christ does when He gets into a life is to seek to lessen desire for mere pleasure in itself. Christ is the supporting cause that will enable us to walk uprightly and He will do this if he has to make us so sad we will forget pleasure.

"Whom the Lord loveth, him He chasteneth," the good book says. Let us not say pleasure lovers are sinners. God alone is the judge as to who are sinners, but let us say such specialize too much. The bump of pleasure, if over developed, will cause the great useful faculties to dwarf and become useless. But unused faculties create hell and death.

Flowery beds of pleasure are sure to become beds of affliction. Christ upholds this view when He says in Matthew 5:29, "And if thy right eye offend thee, pluck it out." (Don't look with it.) "Cast it from thee for it is profitable for thee that one of thy members should perish, and that not thy whole body should be cast into hell."

Christ was not a specialist, and certainly not in pleasure. The pain of others' pain worried Him too much for Him to lead a life of pleasure.

The sorrows of others cast their shadows over Him. And mere pleasure seekers today have not entered into His fellowship. And it might be well to remember as we go along that unless we are able to suffer with Him, we will never reign with Him. Unless we weep with those that weep, as well as rejoice with those who rejoice, pleasure reigns too much in our lives.

It is astounding to notice to what lengths the love of mere pleasure will lead. In recent history we have seen pleasure kill true love. In the picture "The sign of the rose," the love of pleasure, causes the death of a poor little Italian baby girl.

The church should make no apologies where it seeks to put an end to so much mere pleasure.

There is nothing given us just that we may enjoy it. All that we do should be properly related to some of God's purposes. Taste is not to enjoy, but to remind us that we must eat to live. Our bodies are not to enjoy, but to live in. Our sex powers are not given us to enjoy, but by the grace of God to enable us to bring more and better people upon the earth. Fine clothes are not to look at, but to help cultivate our sense of the beautiful. And finally to make a long story short, Corinthians 10:31: "Whether therefore ye eat or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God."



Rev. Albert Cunningham will have charge of services in the Central Methodist Church on Sunday.

### CHURCHES

WANTED.  
BY THE CHURCH—Men and women who have courage to take the initiative. Men and women who will dare to face criticism and be accused of being eccentric, sensational and self advertising. If you can boldly face these, you will find your courage will be well rewarded. Behind these critics is a big world crying out for your help. You are the man, you are the woman wanted—much needed today. GO TO CHURCH TOMORROW. Your opportunity to serve can easily be seen.  
L. F. GOODWIN.

Central Baptist Church.  
Sunday school at 9:45. Classes for all ages.  
Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Sunbeams at 2:30 p. m.  
Junior B. Y. P. U. at 5:30 p. m.  
Senior B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.  
Revival meetings begin today. Dr. J. E. Dillard, pastor of Southside Baptist church, Birmingham and Mr. J. Fred Scholfield, director of music for the First Baptist church, Birmingham, will arrive Monday and will hold services at 7:30 p. m. and 10:00 a. m. daily for two weeks or more.  
A cordial invitation is extended to all to worship with us these two weeks.  
W. P. Reeves, pastor.

First Christian Church.  
Corner Fourth and Moulton Streets.  
All members and friends are cordially invited to the morning and evening services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Each Lord's Day Bible school at 9:45 a. m.  
Noble R. Edwards, minister.

First Methodist Church.  
Jas. A. Duncan, pastor.  
Sunday school at 9:30.  
Men's Class at 10.  
Prof. W. W. Benson, teacher.  
Epworth League at 6:30.  
Services at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.  
Morning: "Sunday School Day."  
Evening: "A Certain Rich Man," a Story Sermon.

The Protestant Christian Council will meet at the Associate Reform Presbyterian Church Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m.  
Addresses will be made by Rev. S. D. Monroe and Dr. H. C. McRee. A cordial invitation to men of all protestant churches.  
W. L. Hatchett, Secretary.

Christian Science.  
Room 3, Morgan County Bank.  
Sunday School 10:30.  
Service 11:00.  
Subject: "Doctrine of Atonement."  
You are cordially invited.

Central Methodist.  
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Rev. Albert Cunningham, music director for Evangelist Coale will be on hand and will have charge with the pastor of the services.  
Ten daily cottage prayer meetings have prepared the way for the revival

which begins tomorrow.  
Members and friends are urged to be present at the beginning of the meeting.  
Sunday school 9:30 a. m.  
Epworth Leagues at 6:30 p. m.  
Strangers are welcomed to all the services.

Westminster Presbyterian.  
L. F. Goodwin, pastor.  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.  
The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Note the change in the evening hour.  
The young people meet at 6:30 p. m.

Willoughby Presbyterian Church.  
Sixth Ave and Ninth Street.  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
Classes for everyone.  
Preaching morning and evening—11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by Rev. Walter M. Crawford.  
Evangelistic services still in progress. You are invited.  
Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.

### PROCLAMATION BY THE MAYORS OF ALBANY AND DECATUR

CLEAN UP AND PAINT UP AND KEEP IT UP!

KNOW ALL MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN BY THESE PRESENTS: THAT, Whereas, the National Clean-Up and Paint-Up Campaign has resulted in many advantages to community life throughout the United States;

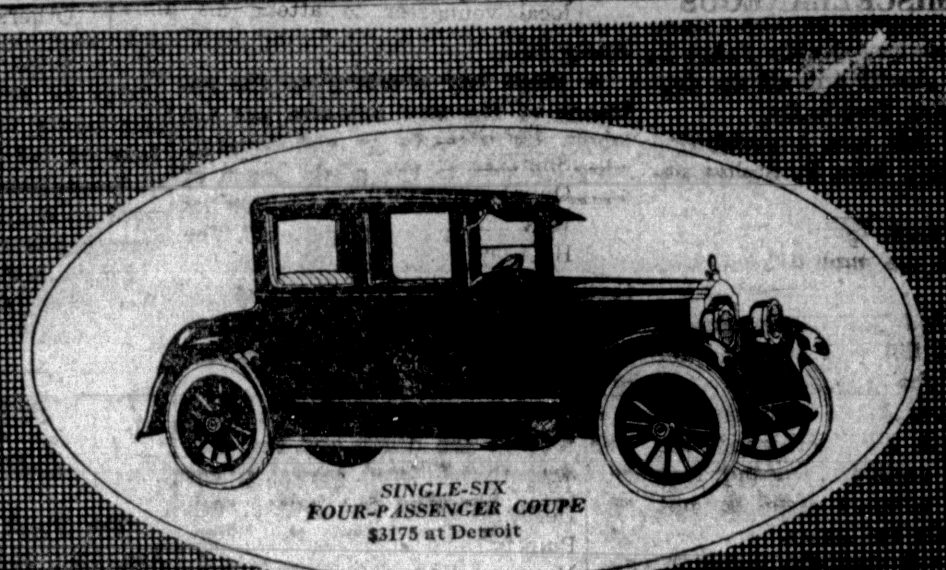
In safeguarding HEALTH;  
In promoting THRIFT;  
In furthering FIRE PROTECTION;  
In stimulating CIVIC PRIDE; and  
In making the "HOME AND CITY BEAUTIFUL";  
NOW, THEREFORE, Be it known that plans have been perfected for a thorough CLEAN UP AND PAINT UP CAMPAIGN in ALABAMA, beginning APRIL 23, 1928.

The cities will expect you during this time to clean your premises and put your trash and rubbish where the city wagons can easily reach it, and it will be hauled away.

The splendid ambition to have the cities clean and beautiful can be made a reality only by the co-operation of all the people. It's everybody's job. There will be a general inspection made of the city after Clean-Up Week and premises not properly cared for reported.

This date to mark the opening of a real campaign of persistent and constructive effort in cleaning up and keeping it up. In this worthy movement we urge each citizen to do his or her best to make our community CLEAN, HEALTHY, THRIFTY, SAFE and BEAUTIFUL.

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Rev. Walter M. Crawford, who has been conducting a revival at the Willoughby church will preach at 3 p. m.  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.  
A cordial welcome to all to attend these services.

Evangelical Lutheran St. Paul Church.  
Sunday school at 9 a. m.  
Quarterly business meeting 10:30 a. m.  
Preaching service at 7:30 p. m.  
Sermon by Rev. H. Reuther of Browning home.

First Baptist Church.  
Meeting continues with increasing interest and service will be conducted each night of next week at 7:30 o'clock.  
Service at 11 a. m., subject—"Heaven, Will Everybody Go There? If Not, Why Not?"  
Service at 7:30 p. m., subject—"The Railroad to Heaven". To be illustrated with a chart.  
A layman will sing a railroad special at this service.

First Presbyterian, Decatur.  
Rev. J. D. Wallace, pastor.  
Sunday school at 9:30.  
The men's class will be addressed by Hon. E. W. Godbey.  
Subject of sermon at 11 a. m.—"How to Become a Prince" and of sermon at 5 p. m.—"Are You a Christian?"  
The public is invited.

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## Pitching Features Ten Inning Battle To No Decision on the Decatur Diamond

Battling until darkness brought a halt to the affair, Decatur high and Sheffield high fought a ten inning, no decision thriller yesterday on the Decatur diamond 3 to 2. Ezell and Gamble, helped by good, bad and indifferent support from their teammates, pitched the best twirling duel here in many moons. Both allowed six safeties in the ten stanzas. H. Avant's lucky homer over the dump in center field proved to be the margin by which Sheffield was able to eke out a deadlock with the locals, while Hendrix's sizzling two-sacker over the dump, just east of the point where Avant's hit was driven, came near to breaking up the game in the ninth. It was just that kind of contest.

Sheffield counted in the first. Arthur Quimby fanned, I. Arthur's fly fell safe in center, going through Hendrix's glove. Ezell erred on H. Avant's bound to the box—Arthur had moved up to second on his own drive and stolen third. Arthur counted as Avant went safe. J. Avant fanned and Gamble flew out to second. Decatur counted all her runs in the third. Collier walked to open the inning. He went to second as Phinizy grounded out. H. Avant to J. Avant. Hendrix looked over four wile ones and strolled. Each moved up a base when Price grounded out at first. Odom underkicked a pitch blow to left center for two bases and a moment later scored on Ezell's double down the left field foul line. Holland hit to Gamble and Ezell was shot down at the plate.

The visitors added a marker in the fifth. Arthur beat out a hit through the box. Ezell's peg to first to catch him napping was wild and Arthur went to second. H. Avant popped to Phinizy. J. Avant singled to right and I. Arthur was nailed at the plate on a perfect peg from Holland to Connelly. Avant going to second on the throw in. Collier threw low to first on Gamble's grounder and Avant scored. Lamb whiffed.

Avant's unexpected it to center for the circuit provided the visitors with their tying tally in the seventh. In the hectic ninth a matter of a few feet separated, literally, the locals from victory. With two away and Collier on first, Hendrix slapped the ball to deep right, to the river bank, scoring Collier ahead of him. Both runners were called back to second and third, being allowed to take but two bases on ground rules, it was said. Decatur again threatened in the tenth, but with two on, and two down, Gamble tightened up and fanned his seventh victim for the third out.

Decatur presented a revamped line up because of the absence of Callahan, who is suffering from a spike wound in his foot.

Ezell's pitching again was a feature. A visitor, who is said to want the local youngster to attend his alma mater, paid the following tribute to Ezell: "He is the best looking young pitcher I have seen."

The box score follows:

Sheffield	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Quimby ss	5	0	0	0	2	0
T. Arthur c	5	1	1	9	1	0
H. Avant 2b	4	1	2	1	2	2
J. Avant 1b	5	1	2	14	0	0
Gamble p	5	0	0	0	3	0
Lamb 3b	5	0	1	2	1	1
T. Arthur lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Ross cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Stenecker rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	39	3	6	30	9	3

Decatur	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Phinizy 2b	5	0	0	3	0	0
Hendrix cf	3	1	1	0	0	1
Price lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Odom 1b	5	1	1	7	0	0
Ezell p	4	0	1	0	2	2
Holland rf	5	0	0	2	1	1
Connelly c	5	0	0	2	1	0
Lynne ss	5	0	0	0	3	1
Collier 3b	3	1	0	0	0	1
Totals	39	3	6	30	6	6

Score by innings: R H E  
 Sheffield 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 3 6 3  
 Decatur 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 6  
 Summary: Home run H. Avant. Two

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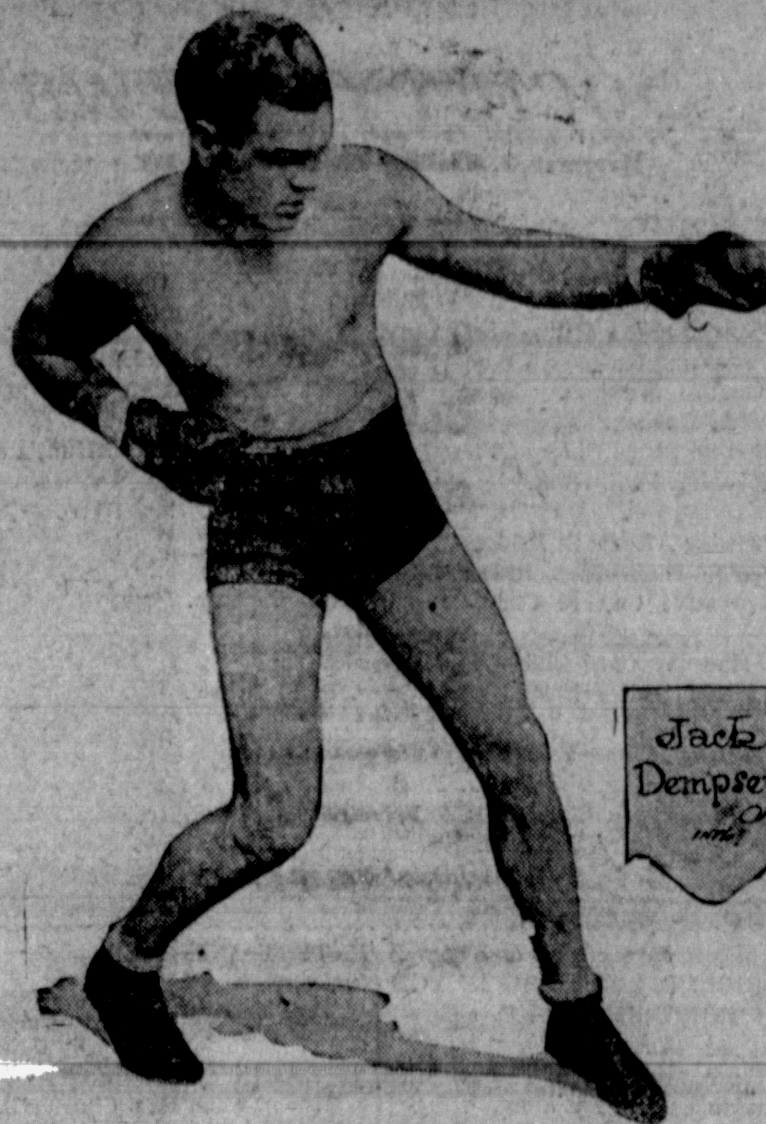
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## INTRODUCING W. H. DEMPSEY, MINE PRESIDENT



Folks, meet William H. Dempsey, of the firm of Dempsey & Kearns, coal mine operators. William Harrison Dempsey is better known to you as Jack Dempsey, heavyweight. He may not enter the ring again for he and his manager, Kearns, have just acquired 4,800 acres of the most valuable coal lands in Utah for \$1,500,000. They will begin building the town of Dempsey, Utah, and open a great training and health camp. A few years ago Jack Dempsey had not a dollar to his name.

## U. S. ARMY BREAKS ENDURANCE RECORD



Lieutenants John A. MacReady and Oakley Kelley, U. S. Air Service, broke all world's endurance records when they remained aloft 36 hours, 5 minutes and 20 seconds in the immense transport monoplane T-2, at McCook Field, Dayton, O. They covered a distance of 2,541.2 miles.

## Boys Like the Beech.

The beech has many qualities which commend it for highway planting. It is a tree of rugged growth, with dense foliage of surpassing beauty, and lends genuine charm to the roadside landscape, says "Trees as Good Citizens," a book that goes into all kinds of tree planting in plain language. Its one drawback, a minor one, is that its smooth white bark is a perennial invitation to the carving of initials.

## Men Easily Placed.

A man cannot utter two or three sentences without disclosing to intelligent ears precisely where he stands in life and thought, whether in the kingdom of the senses and the understanding, or in that of ideas and imagination, or in the realm of intuitions and duty.—Emerson.

**North America.**  
 The areas and the populations of the three countries that make up the mainland of North America are: Canada, 3,729,665 square miles, population, 8,788,483; the United States, 3,027,000 square miles, population 105,710,820; Mexico, 769,000 square miles, population 18,000,000. Besides these, there are Greenland, a Danish possession, Newfoundland, a British colony, Cuba, an independent republic, and the other West Indian islands.

**Trouble Enough.**  
 A delegation had called on Jones to get him to serve on the house committee of the country club. "Gentlemen, I thank you for the honor from the bottom of my heart, but there is nothing doing. I already have a wife, a son-in-law, and a second-hand car, and I think that is trouble enough for one man."

**As Good as Your Word.**  
 Be careful to keep your promises to children, whether they be to reward or punish. A child soon learns whether a parent means to do what is promised. Exercise patience with a child. If you cannot do this, how can you expect the child to learn patience and obedience?

**Women Compared With Clocks.**  
 Women are like clocks. Some of them are fairly reliable with but little attention, while others need almost constant care, and it is not always the high-priced, jeweled ones that are most dependable. They may have pretty hands, or y faces and pretty movements, but they are liable to get out of order, and when they do they are all very hard to regulate.—Oregon

## Cullman, Irked by Ump's Decision, Leave Field And Albany Again Is The Winner

The Cullman high baseball team Ray hit to right and Weber scored, forfeited the game to Albany high Ragland taking third on the throw in. 9 to 0 here yesterday afternoon, when Sapp hit to second and Ragland the visitors walked off the field following a close decision at first base in the ninth inning.

Up until that episode it proved to be a hotly contested game with Cullman threatening to throw huge gobs of woe into the local ballwick.

Pepper, of Albany, retired the visiting clan handily in the first inning, and Albany proved equally easy for Edmundson, albeit Handy binged safely.

In the second period the visiting hurler came to grief. Barnes was safe when Knight muffed his roller. Stinson crashed a three-ply smack to deep right, scoring Barnes. Evans singled to left and Stinson jogged home. Weber erred on Maness' rap to short, and Evans raced to third. Brisby poled another triple to that vulnerable spot in right field, Evans and Maness scampering across the pan on the whack.

Sapp went in to pitch for Cullman. Brisby scored a moment later when Handy sent a long sacrifice fly to left. Sapp then tightened up and Pepper and Burns were easy outs.

Cullman proved a non-producer until the fifth. Sapp, led off with a bit, and Ragland, running for Sapp, stole second. Knight fouled off Edmundson bounded one down the first base line which went for a hit when it took a crazy hop. Henderson grounded out Evans to Burns, Edmundson going to second. Williamson singled and the two runners on third and second scored. Waller perished Maness to Burns.

Albany cranked again for the sixth and last time in the local half of the fifth. Handy grounded to third and advanced to second when Knight heaved a wild chuck over first. Handy continued to third on a wild pitch. Burns produced the necessary sacrifice fly allowing the fleet Handy to register.

Cullman came to life again in the sixth. Weber was nicked in the ribs by one of Pepper's fast ones. Ragland hit to Pepper who fondled the ball too long, both men being safe.

Thus ended the scoring for both clans, as at this stage both factions dug in and held, waging beautiful defensive warfare. Ragland's long, sensational running catch of Bowen's terrific wallop in the eighth proving to be the feature of this rather thrills struggle.

Cullman started off with a rush in the ninth, when Sapp whacked sharply to left. A moment later he was caught napping off first and called out by the umpire. This decision so irked the visitors that, after much wild gesticulating, protesting and raucous clamorings, the Cullman athletes walked off the field leaving Albany the victor.

The box score follows:

		AB. R. H. PO. A. E.				
Williamson lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Waller c	4	0	1	9	0	0
Weber ss	3	1	1	2	1	1
Ragland cf	4	1	0	3	0	0
Ray 1b	4	0	0	5	0	0
Sapp rf and p	3	1	2	0	1	4
Edmundson p and rf	2	0	0	0	1	1
Henderson 2b	2	0	0	1	1	1
Total	29	4	6	24	4	4

Albany High School:

		AB. R. H. PO. A. E.				
Brisby lf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Handy ss	3	1	2	2	0	0
Pepper p	4	0	0	1	2	0
Burns 1b	3	0	0	12	0	0
Bowen c	4	0	0	6	1	0
Barnes rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Stinson cf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Evans 2b	4	1	1	2	0	0
Maness 3b	3	1	1	0	0	0
Total	33	6	7	25	12	0

Summary:  
 Three base hits—Stinson, Bowen, Stolen bases, Sapp, Brisby, Barnes; Sacrifice hits, Sapp, Knight, Henderson. Sacrifice Fly: Ragland hit to Pepper who fondled the ball too long, both men being safe. by Sapp, 8; Pepper 6.

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## PERSONALS

Earl Hamill, of Athens, Ga., is the  
guest of friends here for the week-  
end.

Will Wyker expects to go to Biloxi  
tonight for a few days stay.

Millard and Frank Nelson have re-  
turned to their home in Little Rock,  
Ark., after attending the funeral of  
their brother, Robert.

Reynolds B. Smith, of Florence, and  
T. E. McCadden, of Birmingham were  
here to attend the funeral of the late  
Robert Nelson, returning to their  
home last night.

John Knight and Garner Pride have  
returned from Birmingham where  
they attended the Shrine Ceremonials.

Captain Joe Gibson, of Hillsboro,  
was a visitor to the Twin Cities on  
Friday.

J. M. Smith, of Somerville, was  
here on business today.

Dr. A. R. Haisfield is spending the  
week end in Memphis on business.

A. E. Jackson, state superintendent  
of banks was here today on a visit  
to relatives.

J. W. Conner and little daughter,  
of Knoxville, are the guests of Mrs.  
M. E. Gillespie.

Elmer Lloyd is ill with gripe.

## SOCIETY NEWS

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Decatur 362.

### SOCIAL CALENDAR

**Monday.**  
Social meeting of St. John's Guild—2 p. m.—Mrs. J. W. Troy.  
Christian Women's Union—2 p. m.—Mrs. W. O. Talley.  
Womans Missionary Society of First M. E. church 11 a. m.—Mrs.  
James A. Duncan.

Mission Study Class of First Pres. byterian church—Mrs. Hunt's circle—  
3 p. m.—Mrs. F. S. Hunt.

**Tuesday.**  
Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club—Mrs. Perkins.  
Bridge Club—Mrs. Rufus Peers on.  
Progressive Culture Club—Mrs. J. Cunningham.

**Wednesday.**  
Wednesday Card Club—Mrs. Earl Calvin.  
Married Ladies Bridge Club—Mrs. D. S. Echols.

**Thursday.**  
Thursday Club—Mrs. Harry Carpenter.  
Entre Nous—Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Jones Jr.

**Friday.**  
Friday 13—Mrs. John Knight.

**Saturday.**  
Saturday Club—Mrs. Vera Austelle.

(Apologies to James Whitcomb Riley.)  
**THE GOBLINS' GIT YOU IF YOU  
DON'T CLEAN UP.**

(Contributed).  
One't there was a lazy man who  
wouldn't clean his alley,  
To no good cause would he respond,  
Never would he rally.  
And when he went to bed one night,  
All by his lazy self,  
He was snatched right up the chimney  
flu by the aid of some good elf.  
His good wife heard him holler, and  
his children heard him squall,  
But when they went to look for him,  
He wasn't there at all.  
All they ever found of him was his  
"safety" and "shaving cup"  
And the Gobblins' get you,  
If

You Don't  
Clean  
up.

### FRIDAY THIRTEEN.

The Friday Thirteen was delightfully  
entertained this week by Mrs. Harry  
Carpenter and other than club mem-  
bers her guests were: Mrs. William  
Moseley, Mrs. J. R. Daniell and Mrs.  
W. H. May.

At the bridge game, Mrs. C. B. El-  
liott was the lucky contestant and  
received the club prize and Mrs. Dan-  
iell was presented the guest souvenir.  
A delicious chicken salad course was  
enjoyed.

Mrs. Sara Jeffries is expected home  
today from a business trip through  
Arkansas.

Little Hildar Carpenter is quite ill  
at the home of her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. Harry Carpenter.

### ENTERTAINING AT BRIDGE.

The Woodward Gif Club was the  
scene of a pretty party on Wednesday  
afternoon when Mrs. Charles B. Saun-  
ders entertained the members of the  
Ensley Highlands Bridge Club and a  
coterie of other young matrons at  
bridge. The living room was trans-  
formed into a bower of Spring love-  
liness by a tasteful arrangement of  
quantities of Spring blossoms in the  
golden tints, amid which myriads of  
balloons softly swayed. Nine tables  
were placed for the series of games,  
the talley cards showing Easter de-  
signs, which was further accentuated  
in the salad course and strawberry  
parfait served at the conclusion of  
the games, with little Easter chicks  
perched on each plate. The club prizes  
embroidered card table covers, were  
captured by Mrs. P. B. Harrell and  
Mrs. John Morrison, while the guest  
prize, a handsome corsage of roses,  
was awarded to Mrs. E. C. Rush, and  
the consolation, a bottle of imported  
perfume, drawn by Mrs. Sam P.  
Wynne.

Sharing the hospitality with the  
club members were Mrs. Tom Pippen,  
Mrs. J. Miles Sprague, Mrs. E. F. En-  
glen Jr., Mrs. Nat G. Clark, Mrs. Os-  
car Burney, Mrs. North Duncan, Mrs.  
Clyde Pippen, Mrs. J. Hoke Perkins,  
Mrs. Sam G. King, Mrs. Houston Yar-  
ner, Mrs. H. W. Allgood, Mrs. E. C.  
Rush, Mrs. J. E. Rountree, Mrs. J. C.  
Barrett, Mrs. Goss, Mrs. W. J. Tuck-  
er, Mrs. I. F. Bennett, Mrs. Stanley  
Green, Mrs. W. T. Smith, Mrs. Walter  
Stickney, Mrs. W. S. Rountree and  
Mrs. C. W. Shackelford.—Birming-  
ham News.

### CANAL STREET ROKK CLUB.

The Canal Street Rokk Club met  
with Mrs. F. S. Hunt on Friday af-  
ternoon and Mrs. Flemming won the  
club prize.

After the rook game, tempting re-  
freshments were served. Miss Clary  
substituted for a club member.

### TWIN SIX

The members of the Twin Six held  
a most enjoyable meeting last night  
with Miss Annie B. Malone. Bridge  
was played during the evening and  
the club prizes were awarded to Miss  
Amanda Pride and Ernest Morrow.

Later delightful refreshments were  
served. At the next meeting, Miss  
Daphne Graves will be hostess.

### EPWORTH LEAGUE BANQUET.

The members of the Epworth  
League of the First M. E. Church of  
Decatur, and a few invited friends  
enjoyed a banquet last evening at the  
Kiwanis Club rooms.

### OFFICERS ELECTED BY THE STATE FEDERATION.

The meeting of the Alabama Fed-  
eration of Women's Clubs, held in  
Auburn this week, elected the follow-  
ing officers for the ensuing year:

Mrs. Val Taylor, Uniontown; first  
vice president, Mrs. John Tilley,  
Montgomery; second vice president,  
Mrs. T. H. Herren, Anniston; cor-  
responding secretary, Mrs. J. S. David-  
son, Thomasville; treasurer, Mrs.  
George G. Brown, Tuscaloosa; audi-  
tor, Mrs. C. C. Adams, Birmingham.  
The election was unanimous. The  
convention showed a strength of 171  
delegates, being the largest on record.

Mrs. J. D. Wyker has returned from  
Auburn where she attended the Fed-  
eration of Womens Clubs of Alabama  
this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Henderson are  
spending a few days in Birming-  
ham.

Mrs. L. J. Ramage is in Florence at  
the bedside of her mother, Mrs. W.  
W. Dinsmore, who is critically ill.

Mrs. H. D. Byrum is the guest of  
her daughter, Mrs. Frank Harris this  
week.

Miss Johnnye Cunningham, member  
of the Hartselle faculty, is the guest  
of Mrs. Walter Ezell.

Mrs. H. D. Lane, of Cahoon, spent  
a few days this week in the Twin  
Cities.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Malone, accom-  
panied by Misses Marjorie and Laidie  
Moore Pointer, motored to Huntsville  
today.

Mrs. Vera Austelle will return  
home tonight after several days ab-  
sence from the Cities.

Mrs. Rainey, who has been quite ill,  
is steadily improving.

Miss Dorothy Howland, of Sheffield,  
is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. T. A.  
Caddell.

Mrs. Lou Gilbert, of Chattanooga, is  
visiting her sister, Mrs. Samuel Black-  
well.

Mrs. Ada E. Thomas, of Memphis,  
is visiting the family of Rev. J. D.  
Wallace on Oak street.

### BIRTH.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sheets  
a 10 pound daughter, Nelma Dean.

### No Doctors Nor Nurses.

Las Hardee, a region in Spain meas-  
uring some 450 miles square, with  
8,000 inhabitants, has no roads, no doc-  
tors, no trained nurses, no chemists,  
and only 11 schools.

There Were No Objectors.  
Western Paper-Hill Janitor of 1844  
Guich was married at the church here  
on Friday. When the officiating cler-  
gyman said, "If any one here present  
can show just cause why this man  
and this woman should not be law-  
fully joined together," etc., Hill casual-  
ly laid a pair of large revolvers on  
the railing in front of him. The cere-  
mony proceeded without interruption.

### Origin of Wrenful Things.

It may be safely asserted that half  
the wrong things men do—taking an  
average of human action, half at least  
—are done not in despite of con-  
science, but with its dubious consent,  
when the first clear decision has been  
set aside.—Rev. Robert A. Watson,  
D. D.

## WINIFRED BLACK

WRITES Proving Yourself "Advanced"  
ABOUT

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THE old proper reserved America is gone forever,"  
says the reviewer of a much-talked-of book.

"We speak of things at the dinner tables now—  
things that we didn't dare whisper behind closed doors  
without all the shades drawn back—a dozen years ago."

And the reviewer goes on to rejoice at the new  
freedom and to praise the candor of the new generation.  
How lovely! How inspiring—how perfectly to be  
desired—this frankness and candor—this doing away  
with the proper and reserved America that your  
mother knew and mine!

We've always known these were sinks and bathtubs and things in  
every decent house—hurrah, let's get together and talk about them!

Let's talk about them all the time as if there was nothing else in the  
world that was interesting and true—let the sink and the bathroom drain.  
Let's get right down to the bottom facts about everything. Don't  
hide a thing—don't forget a detail—don't leave out a single thing.

Tell how the potato-peels grow when you've thrown them into the  
garbage can—describe the can and everything in it, make it as horrible  
and disgusting as you can—dwell on it till the whole world seems to be  
nothing but a garbage can!

Is there a cesspool in your neighborhood? Take your last book of  
poems with you and sit beside the cesspool and read your poetry.

At night, when you go to dinner with your friends, tell them all about  
the cesspool—they'll love to hear it. Begin with the soup and end with  
the dessert—never mind if they're a bit restless—it will do them good.

### Romance, Poetry? Pooh!

Don't say anything about the daisies that grew in the grass  
near the cesspool—we've talked too much about daisies as it is. Don't  
mention the blue sky that rolls in a glorious arch—even above the cess-  
pool. Keep to the horrors—they're much more interesting than anything  
so commonplace as flowers and grass, and sunshine and floating clouds.

Have you been to the hospital for an operation? Begin at the be-  
ginning and tell all about it from the minute you felt that "kind of sink-  
ing feeling" to the instant you came out of the ether.

Describe the surgeon's knife, tell how the ether smells and how  
everything the nurse did for you and what you wanted her to do  
and she wouldn't and what she wanted to do—and you wouldn't let her.

All these things are fascinating in the extreme—and they are so  
frank and honest and real—don't forget that.

What a delightful world we shall all live in when we all get this idea  
once firmly fixed in our heads!

Away with propriety! Down with reserve! To the woods with mod-  
esty! To the winds with dignity! Let's all be as frank as monkeys.

Romance, poetry, beauty? Pooh! What do they amount to, anyhow?

### Follow the Leader

Love—there is no such thing. It's just a passing form of madness  
induced by certain chemical changes in the body.

Why should you love your mother, just because she brought you into  
the world and took care of you when you were little and helpless?

What is it to you that your father worked and slaved and sacrificed  
to give you the chance he never had?

Be honest, be frank, be natural—did you ever see a dog or a monkey  
or a cat worry about brothers or sisters, or fathers and mothers?

What—you don't want to go backward into the animal kingdom?

You want to go forward and upward, you want to think that men  
and women are something besides coarse animals, something more than  
mere brutes who can read and write—lie upon you!

Step out of the ranks—you're holding back the procession.


Where is it going—that procession?

What's that to you?

Brum, Brum, don't you hear the drums—fall in and follow the  
leader—so shall you prove yourself to be "advanced."

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It contains only the white center of  
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golden grain.  
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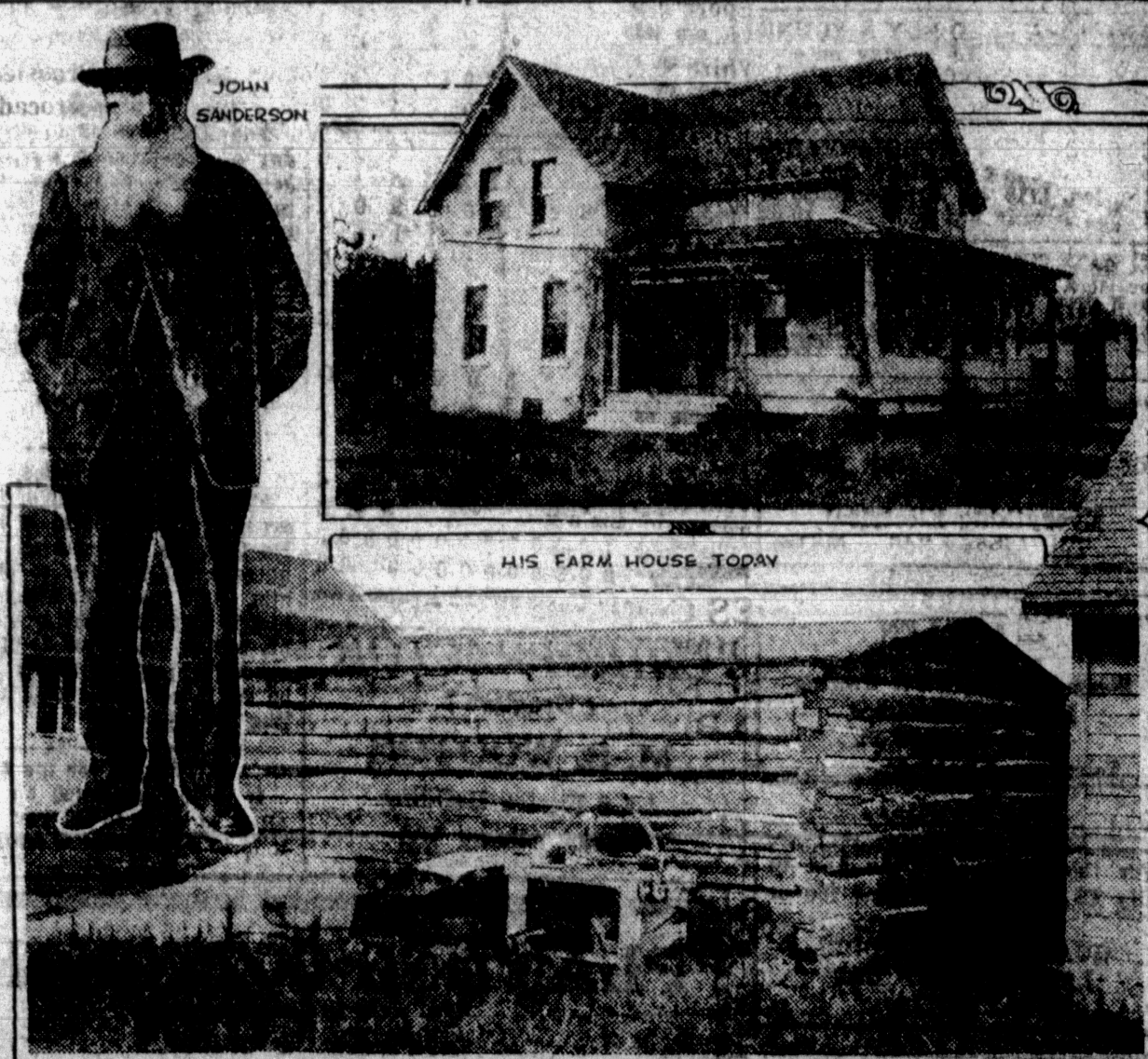
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### PIONEER HOMESTEADER SEES NATION GROW ABOUT HIS FARM



HIS PIONEER HOMESTEAD

WINNIPEG, Man.—John San-  
derson, 82 years old, who home-  
steaded the first farm in Western  
Canada, still lives within a few  
miles of his pioneer claim near  
Portage La Prairie in Manitoba.  
The first homestead of a quarter-  
section of land has just been locat-  
ed by officials of the Dominion gov-  
ernment and will be marked with  
a tablet. Sanderson filed upon it  
July 2, 1872.

The recentness of the date brings  
into outstanding relief the remark-  
able achievement of the pioneer.

acred the thousand-mile plain  
stretching between Red River and  
the Rocky mountains was virgin  
prairie, without population except  
for Indians, Hudson's Bay company  
trappers and traders, and a few  
missionaries. Not one steel rail  
had been laid in a territory which  
today has 14,000 miles of railway.  
Not one grain elevator had been  
built in a country which now has  
an elevator capacity of 127,000,000  
bushels; and not a single telephone  
was in use in a land now criss-  
crossed with 730,000 miles of wire.

a single human habitation. Edmon-  
ston was a stockaded trading post.  
The three prairie provinces which  
now yield the bulk of the wheat  
of the second wheat-producing na-  
tion of the world had scarcely been  
scratched by a plow.

A native of Scotland, Mr. San-  
derson was 32 years old when he  
homesteaded his claim and at still  
bald and hearty. His original farm  
has been cultivated every year  
since his plowshare first broke the  
raw prairie and a half century has  
passed.



## THE ITALIAN ROYAL WEDDING



Princess Jolanda and Prince Calvo di Bergola

Princess Jolanda, eldest daughter of the King and Queen of Italy, as she appeared with her husband, Le Comte Calvo di Bergola, a dashing captain of cavalry, on the balcony in the Quirinal Palace, immediately after their wedding, while hundreds of thousands of loyal Romans cheered them.

## Fountain Pens Three Centuries Ago.

Fountain pens were used as far back as 1000, and reference to them is found in an advertisement in 1789. They did not come into anything approaching general use until fifty years ago. A patent was granted in 1890 to Joseph Bramah, the inventor, who gave his name to the Bramah lock and hydraulic press.

## Better Vision.

Upon retiring, as she seemed very wide awake, I told my little girl to close her eyes and count the sheep going over the fence. She closed her eyes tightly. A little later I glanced at her and she had her eyes wide open, looking up at the ceiling. I said: "Patricia, I thought I told you to close your eyes and count sheep?" "I can see them better with my eyes open," she replied. —Chicago Tribune.

## How Birds Dive After Prey.

Many people think that birds dive directly on to the fish they wish to capture, but if they did so they would probably be killed. Nearly all diving birds enter the water some distance from their prey, and capture them on the upward glide, and not as they go down.

## WEATHER.

FOR ALABAMA—Generally fair tonight and Sunday. Slightly cooler to night.

Alabama history dates back to invasion of De Soto, Spanish explorer who entered the territory in the year

1640.

The founder of the present city of Mobile was Bienville, second governor of the Louisiana province.

Howard College was founded at Greensboro, Alabama in the year 1833 and was removed to Birmingham many years later.

E. A. O'Neal served as governor of Alabama from 1882-1886. Alabama's second governor by the same name was Emmett O'Neal who served from 1911 to 1915.

## Wife Pocketed \$1,000.

A dying wife in New Mexico owned up that she had gone through her husband's pockets regularly for nearly thirty years, and that she had pocketed about \$1,000 from him for pin money.

## Chimneys an Old Institution.

It is said chimneys were first introduced into Great Britain in 1200, their use being confined to the kitchen and large hall. They were in general use in domestic architecture in 1310. How far the Greeks and Romans were acquainted with chimneys as we now know them is a matter of dispute. An ancient mosaic found in Algeria, representing a Roman country house shows chimney stacks projecting above the roof.

## Not Really a Pine Tree.

Although the kauri tree is often called kauri pine, it is a native of New Zealand and is not of the family to which spruce, hemlock and pine belong. The trees sometimes attain a height of 150 feet and are often used for masts for British ships. The timber is close-grained, durable and flexible, and used for nearly all kinds of building, while kauri resin or gum is valued for its use in making varnishes.

## River Celebrated in Song.

The Suwannee river, celebrated in the ballad "Way Down Upon the Suwannee River," rises in southern Georgia, in the Okefenokee swamp, and winds south-southwest about 300 miles, flowing through Florida into the Gulf of Mexico at Suwannee bay.

## PRINCESS THE ATRE TODAY.



IRENE CASTLE "SLIM SHOULDERS" A HODKINSON PICTURE

## Fishes Crowd Sea.

Fishes in the sea of Gallies are in the habit of going about in shoals of more than an acre in extent and so closely packed that it is impossible for them to move freely.

## Australia's Plague of Rabbits.

It is estimated that there are in Australia 30,000,000,000 rabbits, descended from a few pairs of cottontails brought from America about eighty years ago.

# The Hardage Bros. Fire Sale Open Now

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penetrates every crack, crevice, corner and "seams" but still in real damage just "marks" a little the "looks" here and there, and then the real value or usefulness is not hurt in the least, because smoke can be taken out easily.

**WATER**

also leaves a mark, but no real damage. As soon as dried out and wiped, article is of same real value as before it was "soiled"--but the price is "marked" down for the loss, and that's all that is hurt. Water will "dry out" and

The real intrinsic useful value is not impaired or injured in the least--Just selling Price, that is all that is changed in any way in many instances.

## Explanatory: Here Is What Happened:

About 2 weeks ago that common and mutual enemy, FIRE, played havoc at

water was poured into the building, drenching a great part of the stock to prevent the fire from spreading so the "wetting" makes a commercial loss to the insurance companies. But little damage to a great part of this Fine Stock in a Great Measure. The real wearable worth to the user is not damaged in the least.

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## HARDAGE BROS. STORE

while comparatively little was actually burned, yet thousands of gallons of water was poured into the building, drenching a great part of the stock to prevent the fire from spreading so the "wetting" makes a commercial loss to the insurance companies. But little damage to a great part of this Fine Stock in a Great Measure. The real wearable worth to the user is not damaged in the least. In due time the adjusters arrived and in the course of adjustment there was over \$19,000.00 worth of Fine Dry Goods, Shoes and Ready-to-Wear Clothing taken over and paid for dollar for dollar--and turned over to the

WHERE THE SALE TAKES PLACE

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SALE TAKES PLACE NOW

## Sale Going On Now

RAIN OR SHINE

Women's Extra Quality Black Hose, pair	20c	Linno Table Napkins	10c	Blue Denim Overall cloth, per yard	25c	yard	25c
Women's \$3.00 Grade Silk, full fashioned Hose, pair	2.00	Extra large Damask Napkins	25c	Diaper cloth, best grade, 10 yards	\$1.75	Ginghams, best grades, 25c to	50c
Best grade Mercerized Sport Hose for Children, Standard colors, pair	40c	Women's One piece Summer Underwear, extra quality	45c	Nine quarter sheeting, yard	50c	Madras, best grades, 25c to	35c
Children's Mercerized White Sport Socks, pair	25c	Women's Summer Weight Ribbed Vests	25c	Ten quarter sheeting, yard	60c	Shirting, 15c to	25c
Men's Starched Collars, Lion Brand, each	5c	Cotton Brocaded Brassieres	40c	Daisy Brand Domestics, yard	20c	Cretonnes, good grades and pretty patterns, 20c to	50c
Men's Soft Collars, Lion Brand, each	15c	Brassieres, saten brocade	75c	Royal and Iris Sateens, yard	30c	Table Damask, 75c to	\$1.50
Women's Silk Gloves	50c	Women's White Shoes	\$1.00	Tweeds, best weaves and colors, per yard	\$1.75	Burlap Cloth, yard	25c
Men's Balbriggan Drawers and Undershirts, per garment	50c	One Lot of Women's fine Shoes	\$1.00	Vanity Silks, beautiful patterns, 35c to 50c yard		Ribbons, all 10c goods at 3 yards for	10c
Pepperell Bleached Jean Drawers, elastic sides	65c	Children's White Mary Janes	75c	Hardage Dimities, yard 15c, 20c and	25c	All the rest of the ribbons priced in proportion	
One lot of Lion Brand Men's Shirts	\$1.00	Women's High Grade White and Patent Sport Oxford	\$4.00	Crepe de Chine, yard, \$1.50 and	\$2.00	Laces--All 5c laces, 3 yards for 5c and all the rest of the lace prices slashed the same way.	
Brassieres	20c	Nature Form Shoes for Little Girls, best grade	\$1.50	Some Canton Crepe, yard	\$3.30	Spool cotton	5c
Children's Knitted Waists	25c	Patent Mary Janes, best grade	\$1.50	Best Curtain Serim, yard 15c and	25c	Spool Silk, 50 yards, 5c, 100 yards	10c
All Wool Reuben type baby shirts	65c	Great Variety of Highest quality women's and Children's Shoes.		Cotton Satin, yard	50c	Buttonhole twist, 2 for	5c
Women's Knit Vests	20c	Umbrellas and Parasols, Hardage Bros. sold them from \$3.00 and up, each	\$1.00	Paisley Silks, yard	\$2.20	Velvets, yard	\$1.25
Children's Heavy Stayed Waists	40c	Silk Knitting Yarn, in one ounce balls, each	30c	Organdies, yard	50c and 75c	Big Bath Towels, each 60 and	75c
Reuben Style Silk and Wool Baby Shirts	\$1.15	Wool Knitting Yarn, big one ounce balls, each	25c	Kimono Crepes, yard	30c	Fine Huck Towels, according to size, 10c, 15c and	35c
Children's Knit Sleeveless Shirts	20c	Corsets, excellent collection, fine quality, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and	\$2.00	Cotton Crepe, yard 25c and	30c	Overalls and Work Pants	\$1.50
Boy's Pajama Check Union Suits	65c			Voiles, yard, 35c, 40c and	50c	Work Shirts, good grades, 65c and	75c
Women's Shell Knee Drawers, summer weight 25c				High Grade Curtain Net, yard	35c	This is just a partial list of the hundreds of items.	

ORDINARY SALES COME AND GO, LIKE THE CHANGE OF THE MOON--JUST GOING ON ALL THE TIME. HERE IS THE ONE GENUINE SALE YOU'LL BE SURE TO REMEMBER--BECAUSE IT WILL BE A PLEASURE TO BUY.

This is a real, genuine, legitimate, straightforward, honest salvage sale of high-grade dry goods and women's and children's furnishings, greatest ever assembled together in Albany. Come! See! Remember: Hardage Bros. carried the very finest quality of goods.

A SALE THAT WILL ATTRACT THOSE WHO WEAR GOOD CLOTHES, YET HAVE AN EYE TO THE BEST BARGAINS. THE INSURANCE COMPANIES MAKE SUCH BARGAINS POSSIBLE. THEY HAVE PAID THE LOSSES IN FULL--YOU GET THE BENEFIT OF THEIR MISFORTUNE! ALMOST LIKE A PUBLIC AUCTION. ALMOST ANY PRICE--SOME ONE WILL PAY! COST AND SELLING PRICE DISREGARDED!

Get These Facts Straight--Don't be Confused. This Stock Will be Sold Out by Floyd & Co., Selling Agents. To Whom it May Concern:

Hardage Bros. Have Nothing to do With This Sale.

REMEMBER--This stock consists of high-grade dry goods, dry goods, Worsteds, Serges, Suitings, Canton Crepes, Crepe de Chines, Silks, Satins, Taffetas, Dimities, Flaxons, Linens, Organdies, Voiles, Ginghams, Percals, Madras; in fact, the most complete line of dry goods in Albany. Also Women's and Children's Shoes, Hose and Underwear and Furnishings.

BARGAINS ALL OVER THE HOUSE

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE--LOOK FOR THE BIG SIGN--SECOND AVENUE--DON'T FORGET, SALE IS OPEN NOW

PUT THE Goods and the Price Together!



## Princess Theater

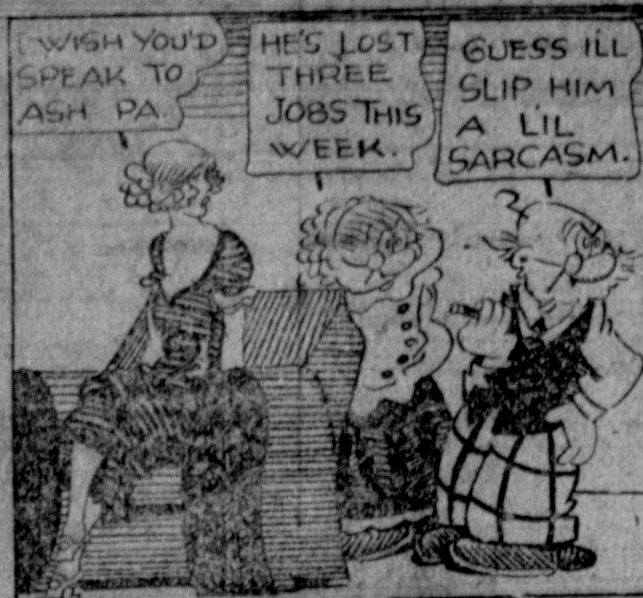
MONDAY  
—AND—  
TUESDAYWilliam De Mile "Clarence"  
Production

From Booth Tarkington's Play, with WALLACE REID, AGNES AYRES, MAY McAVOY. America's Funniest Comedy, produced by a master and acted by an all star cast. SHOWING TODAY: IRENE CASTLE in "SLIM SHOULDERS."

—By CLIFF STERRETT

## POLLY AND HERPALS

## In Other Words, Ashur's Flat on His Back



MIKADO'S SISTER HURT, HUSBAND KILLED, IN AUTO WRECK.



Dying Royalty, etc.

Here are the first pictures to reach America of Prince and Princess Kitashiraawa, the latter a sister of the Mikado of Japan, with Mile. Elizabeth Sauvy. While speeding at 70 miles an hour on the Cherbourg-Paris Highway, in France, their auto was wrecked against a tree, the Prince being killed and the Princess severely injured. Spectators are seen giving first aid to the wounded princess.



Mile. Elizabeth Sauvy, Prince, and Princess Kitashiraawa.

## Ruth Duplicates his Pet Bat Which was Broken Last Year



Home Run King Enjoys Ice Cream Balls

By BABE RUTH.

Many unfortunate circumstances prevented me from breaking my home run record last year. But the fact that I cracked my pet bat early in the season contributed more than any thing in my slump. Few baseball fans know that I broke it for I kept it pretty much to myself. I thought I could easily duplicate it. But this I was unable to do.

When I reached the New Orleans training camp I received a bat made in New York that is an exact duplicate of the one with which I established my 1921 record. The minute I picked it up I knew I could knock the ball over the fence. That afternoon I proved it by driving five over the centerfield fence of Pelican Park. It was the first time a ball had ever been sent over that fence. I have wired for six more of these bats and am confident I will send many balls sailing over the fence of the new Yankee Stadium.

I am in the best condition I have ever been. The effects of my sickness at Hot Springs has disappeared. My ankles which gave me some trouble last year are strong. And right here I am going to disclose to baseball fans the secret of my present excellent state of health. Last year at the close of the playing season I went to my New England farm for a rest. Later I devoted much of my time directing the affairs of a chocolate coated baseball ice cream company in which I am interested. It is a great thing for a baseball player to have business affairs to occupy his time during the off season.

When I went South this year I determined to spend most of my evenings at work. This I have done by keeping in constant contact with my New York office. I find the work a tonic that aids me to keep in the best possible condition.

Waste of Light in Movies.  
Only about 1 per cent of the light produced in the motion-picture projector actually reaches the screen.

Stray Bits of Wisdom.  
Take away desire from the heart, and you take away the air from the earth.—Bulwer Lytton.

## NEWS OF MOULTON AND LAWRENCE COUNTY

MOULTON, Ala., April 21.—(Special).—The long term schools of Lawrence county are making preparations for closing exercises and announcing their programs to the public. The Lawrence County High School at Moulton closes on the evening of May 24 after exercises each evening or day beginning on Sunday, May 20th, with the Commencement sermon by S. P. Pittman of David Lipscomb College, Nashville. The closing exercises at Town Creek school will cover evenings of May 16 to 21. At Courtland and at Hillsboro on June 1; at Mount Hope final exercises come at 10:00 a. m. Friday April 27 and at Hatton on the evening of April 20; each of the schools nears the end with the satisfaction of knowing that many months and days of good work have been added to the lives of their pupils.

Along with the other towns and villages of the state that have been stricken with the "clean-up" fever is Moulton and with the hearty cooperation of an active Civic club with the town council some really effective work has been done; the courtyard especially shows the results and the plans for adding flowers to the already attractive ground is materializing; the Mayor, D. H. Bracken, has proclaimed the fourth Tuesday in each month as a special "clean-

up" day in that on the following the garbage wagon will wait on all who will avail themselves of the opportunity to rid their premises of unsightly trash.

The Duncan Lumber Company, operating for several months past in Lawrence and surrounding counties has just made a deal with a number of landowners along the base of the mountains south of Moulton involving 2,100 acres of timber—mostly cedar, each deal of considerable value. The estimate for the Owens timber is said to be \$9,600; the Coffey, \$800; the Stewart, \$900; the Fretwell, \$1,100; and another body of \$600 in value; mills are to be placed at once at Wren, three miles south of Moulton and another near Moulton with headquarters in Moulton. The cedar industry as developed by this enterprising company has brought several thousand dollars to Lawrence county in the past two years.

Mrs. C. C. Prince and grand-children accompanied by their father, W. L. Hacker left Thursday for Birmingham where they go to make their home for a few months at least. Mrs. Prince is not renting out her beautiful home in Moulton, however, just yet.

Judge J. C. Forney and Byron

Stephenson made a trip over the mountains to Double Springs Wednesday on business.

F. O. Smith and Preuit Simms went to Decatur on business Wednesday afternoon.

John Cooper and Gurney Vent, of Hartsville were among the business callers in Moulton Wednesday.

Mrs. Vera Alexander Jones, of N. C., is visiting relatives in Moulton.

Miss Ethel Young went to Albany-Deatur Thursday, both visiting and shopping.

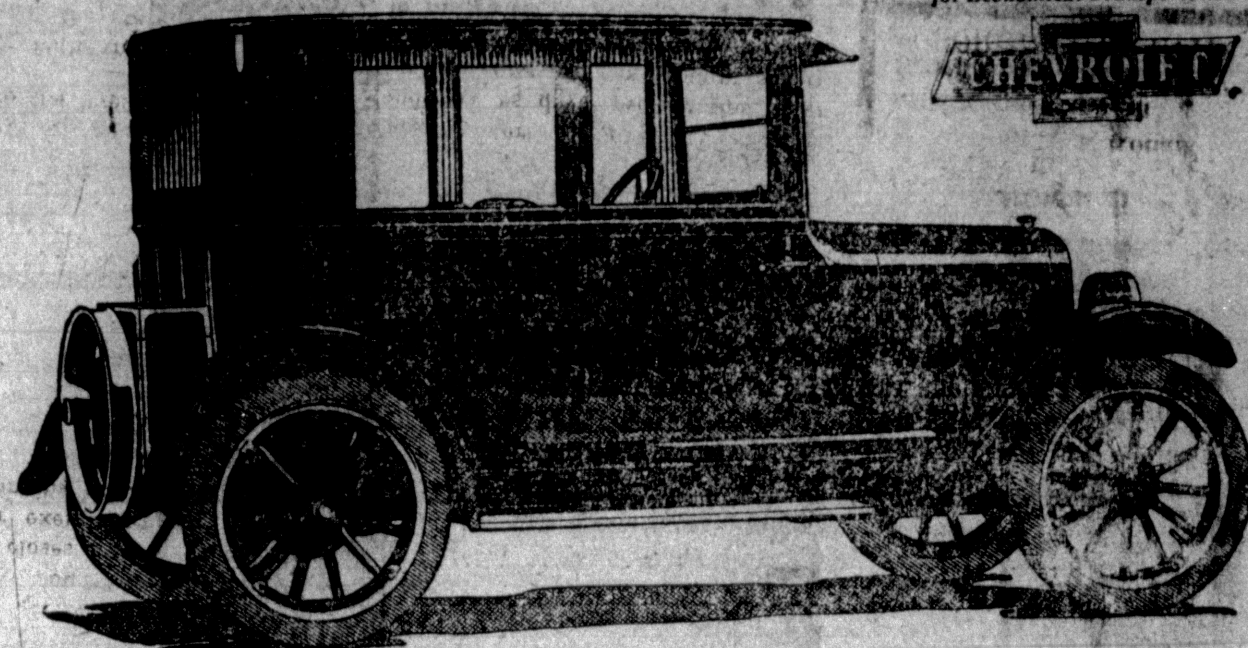
W. E. Hotchkiss of Courtland was on the streets of Moulton Wednesday.

Garth Clarke went to Courtland on business Tuesday.

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It isn't a Kodak.  
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The 1923 SUPERIOR Chevrolet  
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Here is the first motor car of this character ever offered in the less-than-\$1000 class. It is a social and sport car of refined type at the astonishingly low price of \$850. It carries an air of distinction especially appreciated by women. The beautifully designed Fisher Body seats four in comfort. Trunk at rear is regular equipment.

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PRICES of the new line remain the same in spite of added equipment and more expensive construction, which have greatly increased value.

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Five Passenger Touring	525
Two Passenger Utility Coupe	680
Four Passenger Sedanette	850
Five Passenger Sedan	860
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See these remarkable cars. Study the Specifications  
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Masonic Theater--Today  
"West Bound Limited"

The Mighty Photo Drama Of Flesh and Steel, with  
RALPH LEWIS AND AN ALL STAR CAST  
Comedy, Billy Franey in "No Brains."

THIRTY-FIRST ANNUAL STATEMENT  
TENNESSEE VALLEY BANK  
DEC. 30, 1922.

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts \$2,161,906.10	Capital Stock \$ 162,000.00
Commercial paper bought \$122,945.00	Surplus Fund 162,000.00
Commodity 260,332.10	Undivided prof. and res. 43,326.93
Call Loans 600,000.00 983,277.16	Deposits 4,075,750.93
Stocks and Bonds 161,278.50	
Overdrafts 223.81	
Banking Houses (16) 90,500.00	
Furniture and fixtures (16) 36,750.00	
Real Estate 3,100.00	
Building Account 3,805.22	
Cash and due from banks 997,243.13	
\$4,443,083.86	\$4,443,083.86

We will buy--

## VICTORY BONDS

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of sale.

THE MORGAN COUNTY  
NATIONAL BANK